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LOK SABHA

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APPOINTMENT IN CBEC DEPTT.
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Will the Minister of FINANCE be pleased to state:

(a) whether any quota for appointment of dependents of deceased havildars on compassionate ground exists in the Central Board of Excise and Customs (CBEC);

(b) if so, details thereof; and

(c) the number of deceased havildars whose dependents are taken in service from January, 2002 till date?

Answer

MINISTER OF THE STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FINANCE (SHRI S.S. PALANIMANICKAM)

(a) and (b): There is no separate quota for appointment of dependents of deceased havildars on compassionate ground in the Central Board of Excise and Customs. Appointments on compassionate ground are governed under a Scheme formulated by the Department of Personnel and Training on October 9, 1998. According to this Scheme, the compassionate appointments can be made up to a maximum of 5% of vacancies falling under direct recruitment quota in any Group `C and `D` post. Actual appointment of a dependent of the deceased employee depends upon the availability of vacancies in the grade and suitability of the candidate for such appointment based on the person`s educational qualifications and fulfilling other requirements as prescribed in the Recruitment Rules for that post.

(c): As the Group `C and `D` posts including the posts of havildars are de-centralized and the respective appointing authorities of the cadres concerned are competent to appoint dependents on compassionate grounds in accordance with the provisions of the aforementioned Scheme formulated by the Department of Personnel and Training, such data is not centrally maintained.